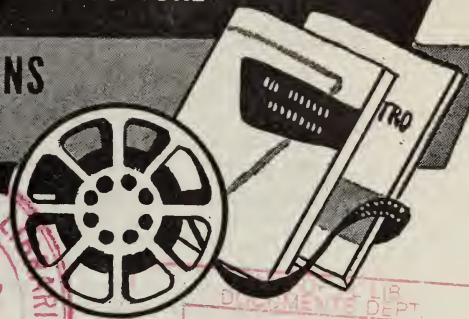


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Leaflet 310

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How bulk assembly changes milk marketing costs. Donald B. Agnew. Agricultural Marketing Service. 91 p., illus. (MRR 190.) Price 50¢. This report presents a detailed analysis of changes in costs and practices that have occurred and that may reasonably be expected to occur with the growth of bulk assembly of milk farm to-plant.

Marketing margins and practices for turkeys sold in three eastern markets. Earl H. Rinear. Agricultural Marketing Service. 36 p., illus. (MRR 191.) Price 25¢. This report on marketing costs and margins for turkeys is one of several similar reports on food items. These reports are designed to meet, in part, a need for information on farm-to-retail price spreads on food.

Improved methods of trimming produce in retail food stores. Dale L. Anderson, Paul F. Shaffer and Francis S. Hapner. Agricultural Marketing Service. 46 p., illus. (MRR 192.) Price 35¢. The purpose of this study was to evaluate observed produce trimming procedures and to develop and test improved equipment, trimming methods, workplace arrangement, and work organization.

Analysis of short-time changes in the price of butter at Chicago. Robert W. March, Elsie D. Anderson and Jack E. Klein. Agricultural Marketing Service. 67 p., illus. (MRR 194.) Price 40¢. This study deals with day-to-day fluctuations in the price of butter.

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So you're on a committee. Office of Personnel. [8] p., illus. (M 742.) Price 5¢. **FOR SALE ONLY.** This folder is designed to aid members and secretaries in improving committee work.

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Citrus industry of Southern Africa. J. Henry Burke. Foreign Agricultural Service. 89 p., illus. (FAR 103.) Price 35¢.

Financing farmer cooperatives. Farmer Cooperative Service. 13 p. (FCS Ed C 5, rev.) Price 10¢.

Index-catalogue of medical and veterinary zoology. Suppl. 7. Authors: A to Z. Mildred A. Doss, Judith M. Humphrey and Dorothy B. Segal. Agricultural Research Service. Pages 1789 to 2139. Price \$1.25.

Mexico as a market and competitor for U. S. agricultural products. Kathryn H. Wylie. Foreign Agricultural Service. [60] p., illus. (FAR 99.) Price 30¢.

Publications on fur farming, rabbits, and laboratory animals. Agricultural Research Service. Folder. (Lt 9, rev.)

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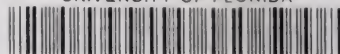
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